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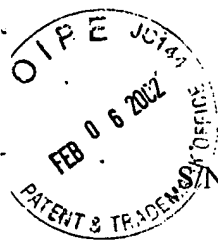
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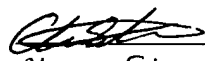
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- 2) Priority information has been omitted.

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This application claims the benefit of U.S. Application 29/141,794 and U.S.

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